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25 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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27 IN AND FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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29 SAN DIEGO DIVISION

30 ISIS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., a
31 Delaware Corporation,
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33 Plaintiff and Counter-Defendant,
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35 v.

36 SANTARIS PHARMA A/S CORP., a
37 Delaware corporation, and SANTARIS
38 PHARMA A/S, a Danish Corporation,
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40 Defendants and Counterclaimants.

NO. 11-CV-2214-GPC (KSC)

**JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND 45-DAY
DEADLINE FOR DISCOVERY MOTIONS
RELATED TO PLAINTIFF'S FIRST
INTERROGATORIES (NOS. 1, 4-7) TO
DEFENDANTS**

Honorable Karen S. Crawford

Plaintiff, Isis Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Defendants, Santaris Pharmaceuticals A/S Corp. and Santaris Pharma A/S (collectively, "Defendants"), respectfully and jointly move the Court to extend the forty-five day deadline for discovery motions an additional thirty days with respect to Isis's First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 1, and 4-7)¹, served on Santaris, pursuant to Civ. L.R. 7.2. The forty-five day deadline is established pursuant to Judge Crawford's Chamber Rule V.A. Defendants served initial responses to Isis's interrogatories on October 16, 2012. The parties previously moved to jointly extend the deadline on November 28, 2012. Per the Court's Order of December 3, 2012, the current deadline for discovery motion related to Defendants' response is December 21, 2012.

Since Defendants' initial response, the parties have met and conferred regarding same. As part of those discussions, Defendants have agreed to supplement their original responses, have since supplemented some of their responses, and are working with their client on the remaining responses. The parties have been actively engaged in discovery-related negotiations and have recently filed joint motions related to same. Rather than unnecessarily file additional motions, the parties seek an additional 30-day extension so that Defendants may supplement their response.

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DATED: December 14, 2012

By: /s/ William G. Gaede, III
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By: /s/ Frederick Brown
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¹ Plaintiff has temporarily withdrawn Interrogatory Nos. 2-3 following the Court-ordered, temporary partial stay issued on September 19, 2012 (Dkt. No. 54).

SIGNATURE ATTESTATION

Pursuant to General Order 45.X(B), I hereby attest that concurrence has been obtained from Frederick Brown, counsel for Defendants, indicated by a “conformed” signature (/s/) within this e-filed document.

/s/ William G. Gaede, III
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